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Sir:

This communication is a supplemental response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application. A first response to the Action was filed earlier by facsimile, and included a request for extension of time which makes both responses timely filed.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document. The claims are amended based on the claim set as forwarded earlier on November 28<sup>th</sup> via facsimile.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: